

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Alexandria Division**

In the Matter of:

CHRISTOPHER LEITCH

DEBTOR

Movant

Chapter 13

Case No. 21-11601-KHK

SILVIA LEITCH

v.

Christopher Leitch
and
Thomas P. Gorman, Trustee,

**ANSWER AND REPORT OF TRUSTEE
TO RELIEF FROM STAY MOTION**

Thomas P. Gorman, Trustee, responds to the Motion of Silvia Leitch for relief from the automatic stay by stating that he would oppose the granting of any relief to Movant that would allow her to elevate or enhance her present position, or that would impact or derogate property of the bankruptcy estate.

To the extent Movant seeks to determine the validity, priority or extent of either Debtor's or her own interest in property, that must be done by adversary proceeding. See F.R.Bankr.P. 7001.

To the extent Movant seeks to compel abandonment of the bankruptcy estate's interest in property, that would not typically be the subject of a Motion for Relief from the stay of 11 U.S.C. §362, but rather is a Motion brought under F.R.Bankr.P. 6007(b).

WHEREFORE Trustee prays that the instant Motion be denied, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate.

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Date: November 8, 2021

_____/s/ Thomas P. Gorman_____
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Answer & Report of Trustee was served via ECF to authorized users or mailed to counsel for the Movant and counsel for the Debtor, or to Debtor Pro Se, this 8th day of November, 2021.

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